

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)**Applicant(s): **ARNETT et al.**

Docket No.

**OPI-101**Serial No.  
**09/686,516**Filing Date  
**10/11/00**Examiner  
**Unknown**Group Art Unit  
**2152**Invention: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS OF ELECTRONIC****DISCUSSION MESSAGES****RECEIVED****JUN 20 2001****Technology Center 2100**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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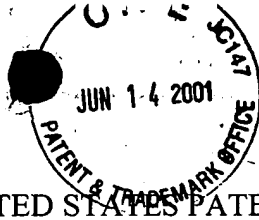
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Box: Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 202310

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the paragraph starting at page 2, line 6; page 5, line 6; page 17, line 5; page 18, line 16; page 19, line 4; page 21, line 21; page 24, line 14; page 25, line 17; as shown on the attached sheet.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add new claims 3-74 as shown on the attached sheets.

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